



## **Addressing At-Risk Populations in Emergency Preparedness**

### **Satellite Broadcast & Webcast**

**Hosted by the Rhode Island Department of Health**

**May 8, 2008**

**10:00 – 11:15 AM Eastern Time**

**Held in the Cannon Building's Auditorium (lower level)**

**3 Capitol Hill, Providence, RI**

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Join Advanced Practice Center Program Managers from Montgomery County, Maryland and King County, Seattle, along with the Chief Program Officer for Public Health Practice for the Association of State & Territorial Health Officials (ASTHO) for discussion surrounding recent efforts and guidance regarding communicating with vulnerable populations during public health emergencies. Speakers will share their experiences and specific information gathered during the ASTHO-led At-Risk Populations during Pandemic Engagement Meetings, and will provide insight regarding key relationships developed with other jurisdictions and community-based organizations.

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#### **Objectives:**

- Identify tools and resources developed by Montgomery and Seattle King County Advanced Practice Centers to help prepare at-risk populations for a public health emergency
- Describe how the tools and resources can be integrated into your own program/plan
- Implement new approaches to reach vulnerable populations during a public health emergency
- Describe key findings from the ASTHO-led At-Risk Populations Engagement Meetings

**Target Audience:** National audience of state and local public health professionals, emergency preparedness officials and their partners (e.g., healthcare professionals, EMS personnel, law enforcement, media representatives, etc).

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**Registration:** For those external to the Department of Health, who wish to attend the broadcast in the Auditorium, please contact Rosa Anderson to register at [Rosa.Anderson@health.ri.gov](mailto:Rosa.Anderson@health.ri.gov)  
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